

ABSTRACT

When a head (34b) mounted on a lower head arm (32b) is in a standby position permitting no access to a magnetic recording disk (13), the head arm (32b) is housed in an opening (37) formed in a frame plate (3). Thus, the head arm and another (upper) head arm 32a may maintain a predetermined distance even in a card-type magnetic recording device of small thickness. An electromagnetic shield material is adhered to the opening to protect the heads (34a, 34b)

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